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SEÑOR EMBAJADOR:

TENGO EL HONOR DE REFERIRME A LA NOTA VERBAL NO. 133 DE
VUESTRA EXCELENCIA, DE NOVIEMBRE 4 DE 1975, REFERENTE AL DESEO
DEL GOBIERNO DE SU PAIS DE ESTABLECER UNA OFICINA DEL
SMITHSONIAN TROPICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE EN LA REPUBLICA DE
PANAMA Y A LA PROPOSICION PARA QUE SE MODIFICASEN LOS
TERMINOS DE LA CLAUSULA SEXTA DEL ARTICULO 2 DE LA LEY 57
DE 6 DE JUNIO DE 1974 CON EL OBJETO DE CELEBRAR UN CONTRATO
CON EL GOBIERNO DE LA REPUBLICA, PARA AQUEL EFECTO, AL
TENOR DE DICHA LEY Y DE CONFORMIDAD CON LA ENMIENDA
PROPUESTA.

DESEO INFORMAR A VUESTRA EXCELENCIA QUE LA PRO-
POSICION DEL GOBIERNO DE SU PAIS FUE SOMTIDA A LA
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CONSIDERACION DE LA COMISION NACIONAL DE LEGISLACION,

ORGANISMO DEL PODER LEGISLATIVO NACIONAL QUE EXPIDIO LA LEY NO. 57 YA MENCIONADA, EL CUAL, DESPUES DE DISCUTIR LA CONVENIENCIA O INCONVENIENCIA DE LA PROPOSICION LLEGO A LA CONCLUSION DE QUE NO ERA POSIBLE ACEPTARLA PERO DEJO EN PIE, SIN EMBARGO, LA POSIBILIDAD DE CELEBRAR EL CONTRATO AUTORIZADO, AL TENOR DE DICHA LEY, MANIFESTANDO SU SIMPATIA CON LA IDEA DE LA APERTURA DE LA OFICINA Y CON EL DESARROLLO DE LAS ACTIVIDADES DEL INSTITUTO SMITHSONIAN DE INVESTIGACION TROPICAL EN PANAMA.

APROVECHO LA OCASION PARA EXPRESAS A VUESTRA EXCELENCIA LA SEGURIDADES DE MI MAS DISTINGUIDA CONSIDERACION. AQUILINO E. BOYD, MINISTRO DE RELACIONES EXTERIORES. END QUOTE
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